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SUBJ: LICENSING AGREEMENT WITH U.S. FIRM

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1. DAILY NEWSPAPER "MILLIYET" APRIL 22 CARRIED REPORT THAT TESTAS (TURKIYE ELEKTRONIK SANAYI VE TICARET A.S.), A GOVERNMENT-OWNED FIRM ESTABLISHED UNDER THE GOT'S "HEAVY INDUSTRY PROGRAM" WHICH WAS BACKED BY FORMER DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER ERBAKAN AND THE NATIONAL SALVATION PARTY, HAS CONCLUDED FIVE-YEAR LICENSING AGREEMENT WITH U.S. FIRM, EXAR INTEGRATED SYSTEMS, INC., FOR PRODUCTION OF UNSPECIFIED ELECTRONICS EQUIPMENT. ACCORDING PRESS REPORT, TESTAS-EXAR AGREEMENT PROVIDES FOR IMPORTATION OF ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS AND "TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY" WORTH \$3 MILLION OVER FIVE-YEAR PERIOD. EXAR VICE PRESIDENT, DR. ALAN B. GREBENE, REPORTEDLY PARTICIPATED IN CONTRACT SIGNING CEREMONIES HERE IN ANKARA RECENTLY.

2. COMMENT: AS NOTED IN PARA 4(C) REFTEL, TESTAS' MANDATE
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INCLUDES PRODUCTION OF MILITARY COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT AS WELL AS CIVILIAN-TYPE ITEMS. WE HAVE NOT HAD CONTACT WITH EXAR, AND WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION FROM ADDRESSEES REGARDING TESTAS-EXAR ARRANGEMENT, INCLUDING POSSIBLE ISSUANCE OF MUNITIONS CONTROL PERMIT FOR EXPORT OF EQUIPMENT/ TECHNOLOGY HAVING MILITARY APPLICATIONS.
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